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Emperor was followed some hours after by another scarcely less audacious. The Cabinet submitted to the Throne Imperial signature a draft Edict calling the people to keep peace and order, Emperor was prohibited by his father

in possession. If such a proposal were forwarded for English farms a storm of indignation would sweep over the country; but in Ireland any scheme for reversing the natural laws of industry and progress can command popular support, and that is why Ireland goes

The importance of India as an outlet for best sugar and its influence as such upon the markets of the world were far more clearly shown at the London Exhibition of 1884-85. On the other hand her potentialities as producer of cane sugar are yearly attracting greater attention. In these circumstances has been considered worth while to bring to date and to re-issue in pamphlet form two considerable additions, a series of articles on sugar in India which have appeared from time to time in the "Indian Trade Journal," the organ of the Indian Commercial Intelligence Department. The pamphlet is called "Notes on Sugar in India by Frederick Norton, Patron, Director-General of Commercial Intelligence, India, and is obtainable from the Superintendent, Government Printing, Hastings Street, Calcutta, or from any bookseller. The price is Rs. 1-8 or, in the United Kingdom, 2s. 3d. It sketches the early history of sugar as an article of trade and the evolution of the present industrial and fiscal systems that affect it. The origin and growth of bonanzas are described and the influence, there and here, the internal trade of the country of production. A full table tells the constitution of the operations of the Canelets. The bulk of the pamphlet relates more particularly to India and these sections show full statistics of Indian demand and consumption, of imports and exports, and of area, production, and price (so far as possible) since 1884-85. The last chapter is devoted to an exposition of the data showing the scope in various provinces for new establishment of sugar factories. The statistics are so tabulated for each district the quantity in proportion of its total area which is understood as indicating the supply of the raw material; and, on the other hand, the total population and the density of population and importance of neighbouring towns as indicating the extent of the potential demand. The data given in these statements are quite sufficient to enable anyone who contemplates engaging in the industry to select the most promising place for a sugar estate as possible sites. The appendices contain the regular prices of the Indian Import Duties on sugar under the various Acts, and of a full index for reference purpose.

The right hon. member cannot fail to scan with some anxiety the proposals of the Government for dealing with the Irish evicted tenants. The Mr. Birrell is not solely to blame for the production of the present Bill may be admitted once. A large part of the responsibility for legislation of this character unfortunately rests with the Unionist party. Mr. Wyndham, dealing with the question of land purchase in 1903, thought that he could settle the question of the evicted tenants by making special provisions to enable them to get back to their holdings or to other holdings of any tenancy, but the matter which Mr. Wyndham has been multiplying the number of incapable persons claiming special favours from the State. The majority of landlords in Ireland, as elsewhere, are naturally willing to take back a capitalist tenant; the trouble is to find a holding for a man who has proved his incapacity to manage a farm successfully. Under Mr. Birrell's scheme it is apparently intended that room shall be made for these incapables by expelling them from their holdings the farmers who are now in possession. If such a policy were carried forward for English farmers, a storm of indignation would sweep over the country; but in Ireland any scheme for reversing the natural laws of industry and progress can command popular support, and that is why Ireland goes backward while England and Scotland go ahead.

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Hongkong, 17th August, 1907. 1353

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N.B.—The word "throughout" used in this notice means that the houses should be lime-washed in respect of all the walls of each room and staircase, all outside partitions, stair casings and stair linings, all ceilings and the undersides of roofs both in main buildings, offices and servants' quarters and inclusive of verandahs.

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HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, THIS DAY (SATURDAY), the 17th August, 1907, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1907.

By Order of the Court of Directors, J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager, 1286 Hongkong, 17th August, 1907.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTER of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, the 6th to the 17th day of August, 1907 (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors, J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager, 1287 Hongkong, 1st August, 1907.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING CO., LIMITED.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of 80 Cents per Share for the six months ending 30th June, 1907, will be payable on the 17th August, at which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 17th August, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN TOMES & CO., General Managers, 1292 Hongkong, 2nd August, 1907.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of Shareholders will be held in the Office of the Company, Queen's Buildings, Connaught Road, on MONDAY, 19th August, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 30th June, 1907.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 19th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, THOS. I. ROSE, Secretary, 1370 Hongkong, 30th July, 1907.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

Ship Certificate No. 9, marked WONG, bearing date the 27th March 1907, for Five Shares numbered 3416340 and registered in this Company in the name of HO POON-SHEK of Hongkong has been lost and it is hereby declared that the said certificate and the shares thereof are void and of no effect.

A New Ship Certificate will be issued to the said Mr. Ho Poon-Shek and thereafter no other scrip will be acknowledged by this Company.

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AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, for account of the CONCERNED, TO-DAY (SATURDAY), the 17th August, 1907, at 2.30 P.M. at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner of Ice House Street, A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF JAPANESE SILK EMBROIDERIES AND SILK EMBROIDERED GOODS.

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By Order of the Executors of the late EDWARD SHARP, Esq., deceased.

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MONDAY, the 19th day of August, 1907, at 3 o'clock P.M. at his Sales Rooms, in Duddell Street

by Mr. GEO. P. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.

The following is the description of the Property.

Lot 1.—All that piece or parcel of ground situate at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong intended to be registered in the Land Office as Section B of Inland Lot No. 679, containing a frontage to Fuk Luk Lane of 96 feet or thereabouts and an area of 4,520 square feet. Apportioned Annual Crown Rent \$23.34.

Party Wall.—The wall on the Easternmost side of this Lot is a Party Wall House.

On this Lot or on some part or parts thereof are erected the substantial houses known as Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 Fuk Luk Lane.

Lot 2.—All that piece or parcel of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid intended to be registered in the Land Office as Section C of Inland Lot No. 679, containing a frontage to Fuk Luk Lane of 82 feet 4 inches or thereabouts and an area of 3,876 square feet. Apportioned Annual Crown Rent \$24.30.

Party Wall.—The walls on the Easternmost and Westernmost boundaries of this Lot are Party Wall Houses.—On this Lot or on some part thereof are erected the substantial houses known as Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 Fuk Luk Lane.

Lot 3.—All that piece or parcel of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid intended to be registered in the Land Office as Section D of Inland Lot No. 679, containing a frontage to Third Street of 110 feet or thereabouts and an area of 5,396 square feet. Apportioned Annual Crown Rent \$31.81.

Party Wall.—The wall on the Westernmost side of this Lot is a Party Wall. The wall on the East side of this Lot dividing the same from Section A of Inland Lot No. 679 and which is of a length of 6 feet and 7 inches is a Party Wall. The wall on the South side of this Lot dividing the same from Section A of Inland Lot No. 679 and which is of a length of 41 feet 8 inches is a Party Wall. Houses.—On this Lot or on some part or parts thereof are erected the substantial houses known as Nos. 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112 and 114 Third Street.

Lot 4.—All that piece or parcel of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid intended to be registered in the Land Office as Section E of Inland Lot No. 679, containing a frontage to Third Street of 117 feet 4 inches or thereabouts and an area of 5,691 square feet. Apportioned Annual Crown Rent \$35.63.

Party Wall.—The wall on the Easternmost boundary of this Lot is a Party Wall. Houses.—On this Lot or on some part or parts thereof are erected the substantial houses known as Nos. 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125 and 127 Third Street.

Lot 5.—All that piece or parcel of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid intended to be registered in the Land Office as Section F of Inland Lot No. 747, having a frontage to Third Street of 117 feet 4 inches or thereabouts and an area of 6,101 square feet. Apportioned Annual Crown Rent \$39.65.

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JOINT STOCK SHARES.

Messrs Vernon & Smyth say in their weekly
share report, dated Hongkong 16th Aug. 1907:—
Another quiet week has been experienced, and
rates in many lines. "Times" show a further decline.
Stocks of Bar Silver, has ruled very uncertain,
and to this fact must be attributed, in a large
measure, the prevailing dullness. Exchange on
London closes at 2/2 1/16 T/T, and on Shang-
hai at 72 1/2 T/T.

BANKS.—Hongkong and Shanghai, in
sympathy with a fall of 10s. in London to
£90 10s. for the old ex new, have eased off local-
ly to \$670 and \$510 for old ex new and new
respectively, at which rates there are sellers.
Nationals are unchanged at \$51.

MARINE INSURANCES.—Unions are quiet
with probable sellers at \$775. North Chinas
have been booked and more shares on wanted
at Tls. 75. Yangtzes are still procurable at
\$180, and Cantons at \$270. China Traders have
buyers at \$91.

FIRE INSURANCES.—Hongkong Firms have
declined to \$315 with sellers, and Chinas to
£100 on offer at \$38.

SHIPPING.—Hongkong, Canton and Macao
have sold and are still obtainable at \$28 ex the
middle of \$1 per share for the half year ending
30th June last, paid on the 15th instant.
Indo-Chinese are quiet but steady at \$39 and
\$28 for the Preferred and Deferred respectively.
Star Ferries are easier at \$23 and \$13 for the
old and new issues respectively, and Shell
Transports at 4s. nominal. There is no change in
Douglases.

REFINERIES.—China Sugars are quiet and
without change at \$100, and Lanzas at \$21
selling.

MIRING.—Charbonnages are still required
for \$490. Raubs have been booked at \$57 to
\$61, the market closing with probable sellers at
the latter rate.

DOCKS, WHARVES AND GODOWNS.—Hong-
kong and Whampoa Docks, after sales at \$101,
dropped suddenly to \$98 owing to a forced sale,
but have since recovered, and can again be
placed at the higher rate. Hongkong and
Whampoa Wharves have suffered a further
decline to \$70 at which rate sales are reported.
New Amoy Docks continue neglected at \$111.
Shanghai Docks have experienced a sharp ad-
vance, up to Tls. \$2 having been paid for cash
shares, whilst on time sales have been effected
at Tls. \$3 for December and Tls. \$6 for March
delivery. The closing quotation is Tls. \$6 with
probable buyers for cash. Shanghai and Hong-
kong Wharves are also firmer at Tls. \$21 ex the
interim dividend of \$1 8s. per share on account
of 1907 paid on the 15th instant.

LANDS, HOTELS AND BUILDINGS.—Hong-
kong Lands are quieter, and shares can be
procured at the reduced rate of \$98. Kowloon
Lands have sales at \$97, and West Point's at
\$15, after sales at the rate. Hongkong Hotels
have sold and close firm at \$100. Himmphry's
Estates have been booked at \$105, and have
further buyers. Shanghai Land's are firmer
with buyers in the North at Tls. 102.

COTTON MILLS.—We have heard of no busi-
ness in this section, and quotations are un-
changed.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Dairy Farms have im-
proved to \$16 with sales. Green Island Cements
are also firmer with sales, and further buyers at
\$102. Closures have dropped to \$11, and
more shares are procurable. China Light and
Power have been booked at \$1, and China Pro-
ducts at \$8.00. Ropes have improved to \$23
buyers, and Tramways to \$11, the latter with
sales.

CHURCH SERVICES.

St. John's Cathedral Hongkong.—August
16th, Sunday, 12th after Trinity. Holy Commu-
nion (7.30 a.m.). Matins (11 a.m.). (Full Choir.)
Responses, Psalms, Venite, Te Deum, Gloria, and
the 18th Psalm; Te Deum, Gloria, and the 18th
Psalm; Benedictus, Gloria, and the 18th Psalm;
Kyrie, Stainer in E flat; Hymns, 270 and 298.
Evangelist (5.45 p.m.). Responses, Psalms, of
the 18th Psalm (11). Magnificat, Hosanna
in A. Nunc Dimittis, Nunc in A Minor, Hymns,
222, 197 and 20; Vesper Hymn, Sevenfold Amen;
Voluntaries, Postlude.—Calkin; Postlude.—
Jennae.

N.B.—Psalms 90, Verses 1, 2, 9, 10, 17 in union.
91 Verses 7 and 14 in union. 92 Verses 1, 2, 9,
10 in union.

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road West.—
12th Sunday after Trinity. Morning Prayer 11
a.m. Venite, Hesper; Te Deum, Woodward;
Hymns, 51, 109, 171 and 224; Kyrie. Holy Com-
munion 12.15. Evening Prayer 6.30. Magnificat,
Smart; Nunc Dimittis, Heathcote; Hymns, 194,
125, 100 and 51.

The Church of the Holy Spirit, will call on ships
carrying white crews, to bring friends ashore to
the services, between 9.15 and 10.30 a.m., and
between 5.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier,
9.30 and 6 p.m., returning afterwards. The
"Answering Bells" is the call for all. All the
attending are free and unappropriated. Visitors
welcome. Books, etc., provided.

Sunday School 10.45 a.m.
St. Andrew's, Kowloon.—(Robinson Road, near
British School.)—Sundays.—Holy Communion
1st Sunday in month at noon, 2nd and 4th Sun-
days at 8 a.m., 3rd and 5th Sundays at 7 p.m.;
Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 a.m.; Evening
Prayer and Sermon, at 6 p.m.; Children's Service
(and Baptisms, if necessary) on 3rd Sunday, at
3 p.m.; Sunday School at 3 p.m. on remaining
Sundays. Wednesday.—Shortened Evening
Prayer with address, at 6 p.m.; Congregational
services on Thursdays at 10.45 a.m. (Hymns, 100,
125, 100 and 51.)

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St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road (Roman
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English, at 10 a.m.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY IN
NETHERLANDS INDIA.

Particulars regarding the Dutch Company
which, as we have already announced,
has secured a concession for working wireless tele-
graphy in Netherlands India, are given in the
"Sumatra Post." The name of the company is the
Netherlands India Wireless Telegraphy
Company. It is intended to establish installa-
tions all over Netherlands India, excepting New
Guinea, at thirty-eight stations, which extend
from Sabang to Timor Kupang. All these
stations must be ready for service within two
years.

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established are Rido, Bala-sa (Deli), Batavia,
Semarang, Sourabaya, Banjarmasin, Manassas,
Sambor, and Pontianak. The only difficulty in
the way of the Company is that of securing an
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FEDERATION OF SOUTH AFRICA.

Lord Selborne's manifesto on the question of
South African union has met with a somewhat
mixed reception in South Africa. On the one
hand, it has been termed an epoch-making
document and ranked with Lord Durham's
report on the affairs of Canada as one of those
documents which serve to build up the fabric of
the Empire. On the other hand, the South
African News, the organ of the Bond party in
the Cape, writes:—"The manifesto is a
document which is not only a disappointment
to the actual progress of the Union, but it is
candidly as bearing traces of precipitation and
even panic hardly in keeping with the
general tenor of Lord Selborne's pronouncements."

Lord Selborne follows a very long train of
distinguished predecessors from Sir George
Grey downwards in advocating South African
federation, and there stands the Imperial
statute book an act intended to facilitate
federation passed in 1874 when hopes ran high
in England for the accomplishment of a
federation which might have led to the peaceful
incorporation of Dutch republics within an
Empire and saved the memories of Majuba
and Paardeburg which would ruin the union
of any peoples less politically able than Briton
and Boer. Of late years the need of such union
has become obvious and the obstacles there-
in the way by the first annexation of the
Transvaal and the surrender after Majuba have
been removed by the conquest of the Republic.
Indeed, it is not now contended by any South
African statesman that South Africa can per-
manently do without federation, and in asking
Lord Selborne to express his views on the idea
the Cape Government was merely voicing the
wishes of the whole of South Africa. Perhaps
the form of the memorandum might have been
improved by further consideration, and it
certainly lacks both the rhetorical force of
Lord Durham's report and its air of complete
mastery of the subject. There is some need-
less repetition and a marked over-emphasis which
has less persuasive power than a more carefully
reasoned statement would have had. But it
remains a fairly complete and convincing
statement of those reasons which render the
federation of South Africa an essential and
inevitable. The present state of
South Africa can be explained simply by his-
torical causes. In the early days its population
grew very slowly and as the centre of the
administration was at Cape Town, the eastern
districts were no doubt neglected, leading to
constant proposals to split up the Colony which
found partial fulfilment in the formation of a
new colony of Natal. In later days the inability
of the Cape to deal with the vast new ter-
ritories shown in the Boer revolt, has led in
the settlement under Imperial auspices of the
great protectorate of Bechuanaland and in the
growth under the Chartered Company of
Rhodesia. The annexation of the two
Boer Republics has brought the number of
Colonies up to four, and it is all of
them union is confined to an imperfect and
unsatisfactory custom union which the Trans-
vaal Government has decided to leave. The
tariff is absolutely unworkable, based as it is
on a series of compromises between the need of
the mining population of the Transvaal for cheap
food and the desire of the Cape agriculturists to
secure monopoly prices for their produce. Again,
though all the colonies and protectorates are
under the Roman Dutch Law local legislation
has modified it in varying degrees in each of
the Colonies and a slight code is urgently needed.
General Buller at the Colonial Conference in-
sisted on the necessity of a single scheme of
defence against internal disorders and the
native question demands united action. At
present the railways have renewed their war of
raids and the Cape has secured the support of
the Transvaal in their contest with Natal for
the monopoly of the overseas traffic, while
all the other Colonies unite in accusing the
Transvaal of surrendering their interests to
those of Lourenco Marques in order to secure
facilities for obtaining native labourers for the
mines.

But though all points to union and though the
Imperial Government has already shown its
readiness to accept any such scheme by its
attitude in regard to the proposals of General
Buller as to the establishment of a final court
of appeal in South Africa, yet it must not be
overlooked that the difficulties in the way of
union are great. Federation will involve serious
difficulties in each case and undoubtedly South
African statesmen seem hardly prepared to make
such sacrifices. But the ultimate success of the
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